

DEPARTMENT OF TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL

REGION 2
700 HEINZ AVE., SUITE 200
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NOTICE OF CONSTRUCTION

The California Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) announces that cleanup of the Summer del Caribe site, located at 2020 Wright Avenue in Richmond, will begin in mid-May 1996 and is expected to run through mid-September 1996.

Approximately 8,000 cubic yards of lead-contaminated soil and overlying clean soils will be dug up and temporarily stored onsite. Lead-contaminated soil will be processed to separate out lead-containing material. Soil having concentrations above the DTSC-approved cleanup level will be taken offsite to a permanent disposal facility. It is estimated this will be approximately 6,000 cubic yards. Soils having lead concentrations below the DTSC-approved cleanup level will be used to backfill excavation areas.

This excavation and offsite disposal is part of an overall cleanup plan for the Summer del Caribe site, which was discussed at a community meeting July 27, 1995, and subsequently approved by DTSC in Summer 1995.

Construction will be conducted Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. All work will be conducted under an approved health and safety plan by trained workers. The site will be watered down regularly to ensure that nearby populations are not exposed to dust from the site.

If you have any questions or would like further information please call:

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